

State of Utah

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Inspection Report

Permit Number:	C0070020
Inspection Type:	COMPLETE
Inspection Date:	Friday, December 16, 2005
Start Date/Time:	12/16/2005 10:00:00 AM
End Date/Time:	12/16/2005 1:00:00 PM
Last Inspection:	Friday, November 18, 2005

Inspector: Karl Houskeeper, Environmental Scientist III

Weather: Clear, Temp 32 Deg F
InspectionID Report Number: 823

Accepted by: pgrubaug 12/23/2005

Permitee: HIDDEN SPLENDOR RESOURCES INC Operator: HIDDEN SPLENDOR RESOURCES INC

Site: HORIZON MINE

Address: 3266 S 125 W, PRICE UT 84501

County: CARBON

Permit Type: PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM

Permit Status: ACTIVE

Current Acreages

Total Permitted	1,998.99
Total Disturbed	9.50
Phase I	
Phase II	
Phase III	

Mineral Ownership	Types of Operations
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✓	Federal	~	Underground
	State		Surface
	County		Loadout
✓	Fee		Processing
	Other		Reprocessing

Report summary and status for pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments:

Permit Condition #1 states that Hidden Splendor Resources will enter their water monitoring information into the electronic database, EDI. This condition is being met.

Inspector's Signature

Date

Tuesday, December 20, 2005

Karl Houskeeper, Environmental Scientist III Inspector ID Number: 49

Note: This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining.

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REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
 a. For COMPLETE inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check Not Applicable. b. For PARTIAL inspections check only the elements evaluated.
- 2. Document any noncompliance situation by reference the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
- Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performace standard listed below.
 Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Divison Orders, and amendments.

		Evaluated	Not Applicable	Comment	Enforcement
1.	Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale	✓		✓	
2.	Signs and Markers	✓		✓	
3.	Topsoil	✓			
4.a	Hydrologic Balance: Diversions	✓			
4.b	Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments	~		✓	
4.c	Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures	~			
4.d	Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring	✓		✓	
4.e	Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations	✓		✓	
5.	Explosives	✓			
6.	Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches	✓	✓		
7.	Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments	✓	✓		
8.	Noncoal Waste	✓			
9.	Protection of Fish, Wildlife and Related Environmental Issues	✓			
10.	Slides and Other Damage	✓			
11.	Contemporaneous Reclamation	✓			
12.	Backfilling And Grading	✓			
13.	Revegetation	✓			
14.	Subsidence Control	✓			
15.	Cessation of Operations	✓			
16.8	a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing	~			
16.k	Roads: Drainage Controls	~			
17.	Other Transportation Facilities	✓			
18.	Support Facilities, Utility Installations	✓			
19.	AVS Check	✓			
20.	Air Quality Permit	✓		✓	
21.	Bonding and Insurance	✓		✓	
22.	Other				

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1. Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale

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The current DOGM permit C/007/020 was issued effective 07/01/2003 and expires 10/11/2006.

- -Certificate of Insurance policy number TBD, issued 09/30/2005 and terminates 09/30/2006.
- -UPDES permit UTG040000 (General) UTG040019 (Site Specific) effective 05/01/2003 and expires midnight 04/30/2008.
- -Air Quality permit DAQE-700-70, issued November 7, 2000.
- -SPCC Plan dated September 2003.

2. Signs and Markers

The mine ID sign was observed at the point of public access to the mine. The sign contained the name of the mine, permit number, and MSHA number. The sign has been modified to include the address and phone number.

4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments

Fourth quarter pond inspection was done on October 17, 2005.

4.d Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring

Fourth quarter 2005 water monitoring is in the EDI website and uploaded. Water monitoring is current.

4.e Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations

Outfall 001 did not discharge in November 2005. Outfall 002 discharged in November 2005, but no parameters were exceeded.

20. Air Quality Permit

The Air Quality Permit Approval Order DAQE-700-00 was issued on November 7, 2000 and remains in effect.

21. Bonding and Insurance

The bond is secured by a letter of credit through Bank One in the amount of \$57,000 and collateral to add up to the amount of \$342,000. This letter of credit was replaced with a Letter of Credit through Zions Bank.